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INSURANCE FIGURES JUGGLED

How Interested Persons Have Sought to Mislead the Legislature.

METHODS OF UNDERWRITERS EXPOSED

H. O. Beatty States the Facts About the Valued Policy Law and Declares It Has Not Increased the Hazard in This State.

OMAHA, March 6.—To the Editor of The Bee: As a vigorous effort is being made by the insurance companies...

SOME NOTABLE INCREASES.

With all its saving upon the total amounts recommended, however, the ways and means committee has been extremely liberal...

Another notable increase is in the amount recommended for the state penitentiary, the saving being \$20,235. This is effected easily enough...

CONVICTED BY THEIR OWN MOUTHS.

The sworn statement of the companies doing business in this state, as filed with the auditor of state, proves conclusively the falsity of their premise and the error of the conclusion drawn therefrom.

ATTACK ON THE VALUED POLICY LAW.

South Omaha Packers Explode an Argument Used by the Insurance Lobby.

A circular containing a somewhat exhaustive argument in favor of the repeal of the "valued policy" law passed by the Nebraska legislature in 1889...

NEW STYLE OF CONFIDENCE GAME.

Advertised for a Housekeeper and Then Stole the Applicant's Trunk.

BALTIMORE, March 10.—Detective Gault returned yesterday from New York, Pa. where he arrested James Clark, alias James Lewis, alias J. Templeton, charged with swindling Mrs. Sadie Fields of this city...

TRAIN ROBBERY NOT PROFITABLE.

Two Texas Men Do a Wholesale Business and Capture Little Booby.

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SALARY ACCOUNT, REDUCED \$607,591

Increased Safety and Rapidity Secured in Transacting the Government Business—Employees Have Done Well Getting Jobs for Relatives.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—A review of the work done by the Docketing joint commission of congress, created for the purpose of inquiring into and examining the status of the law organizing the executive departments, has been printed.

GOVERNMENT EMPLOYMENT BUREAU.

Postoffice Department in Luxembourg Acts as Agent.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—The United States consul at Luxembourg outlines the scheme of an international labor exchange, which has proven very beneficial in that grand duchy in facilitating the employment of labor.

HALF A MILLION IN GOLD BURIED ANNUALLY WITH AMERICANS, SO A FRENCHMAN SAYS.

A Frenchman who recently made a tour of the United States and returned with some of his impressions in Le Temps, one of his articles he says that struck him particularly in this country was the American habit of filling the teeth with gold.

SHORT TIME LITIGATION APPEARED.

DUBUQUE, Ia., March 10.—The Union Loan and Trust company has appealed from the decision of Judge Shiras, awarding to J. W. Todd \$20,000 worth of Sioux City & Northern and Sioux City, O'Neill & Western securities, deposited with Todd & Co. as security for a loan of \$20,000.

SEVERAL MOONS AT CEDAR RAPIDS.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., March 10.—(Special Telegram.)—The eclipse of the moon, which was visible here tonight, their being scarcely a cloud in the sky. Just previous to the eclipse large "moon dogs" were visible on each side of the moon.

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